

Pennsylvania Fish and Game Plan and Its Partial Adoption in Maine

By Robert F. Maxey, Before the Knox County Fish and Game Association January 13, 1928

Although much has been said in the Press regarding Pennsylvania's Fish and Game Plan, I feel that perhaps the public generally does not fully understand just what the plan is. I am giving a brief outline of what the principal points consist of and what an adaptation might mean to our State.

For years I have wanted to see fish and game conditions improved and the plan, as outlined here, has had the approval of many sportsmen, as being a real solution of the problem. It is a big plan and must have the full co-operation of the people and therefore they should fully understand its fundamentals. First to state briefly how it came into effect.

Several years ago the Sportsmen of Pennsylvania suddenly realized how nearly depleted its supply of fish and game had become. A group of fair-minded interested sportsmen met and devised a plan calling for a non-partisan administration of fish and game matters, the establishment of adequate hatcheries, the creation of real game sanctuaries and close cooperation of sportsmen all over the state.

For eight long years they were bitterly opposed by the politicians and their puppets, but finally with the aid of Theodore Roosevelt were able to establish their plan. The results were so wonderfully successful that today Pennsylvania is regarded as a model for practically every sporting sportsman.

Pennsylvania separates her Game and Fish Departments. Game is administered by a Board of eight men, each representing a different section of the state, and a Secretary to direct the work. Fish has a Commissioner with an advisory Board of eight non-partisan sportsmen.

Recently laws have been passed in regard to fish and game regulations and laws. Pennsylvania has about a thousand Fish and Game Clubs and Associations, each one in close contact with and co-operating with the two departments. By the establishment of proper game sanctuaries, Pennsylvania has brought her game supply back to almost incredible proportions.

During the 1927 season 15,000 buck deer were killed in a two weeks open season. Her supply of grouse, quail, and rabbits is also abundant. In the Fish Department they have made great advances and are planting each year hundreds of millions of fish. One hatchery alone has over 300 acres in rearing pools. Pennsylvania boasts her sea trout and salmon. The effective work of its Administrative Boards in honestly and efficiently spending the funds available and is working without political pressure.

Every thinking sportsman realizes that our supply of fish and game is going down at an alarming rate and that we have a multiplicity of laws that are difficult to understand and are not accomplishing the conservation so badly needed.

Under these conditions it seemed fair in laying out an adaptation of the Pennsylvania ideas to work along the lines that Pennsylvania sportsmen did in establishing their system.

It was planned to call together a group of sportsmen representing each county of Maine. Where counties or local Fish and Game Associations existed representatives were to be sent by them and if there were no such organizations selection was to be made from the ranks of fair-minded sportsmen. Each county was to have an equal representation of four men and representatives of the State Game were to be invited. It was planned to discuss the Pennsylvania plan in detail and to decide what portions could be adopted in Maine.

It was then planned to have one man appointed from each county and one from the Game to work together in blocking out a proposed new code of Fish and Game Laws for Maine, incorporating therein what they had adopted from Pennsylvania's ideas. When this new code was blocked out it was to be submitted first to the sportsmen of each county for their approval or amendment and when so approved or amended, to the Attorney General for its legality. If it proved satisfactory it would be presented to the next legislature by the sportsmen of the State as their bill and with their backing.

Under this new code of laws the Maine sportsmen should have—

A simple code of fish and game laws easily understood and practically universal in scope.

An ample supply of mature game fish for planting in the lakes, ponds, and streams, thus eliminating the tremendous loss when fry and small fingerlings are planted.

An adequate number of carefully planned game sanctuaries, thus assuring an annual game supply for the men of tomorrow as well as those of today.

A non-partisan commission form of administration for the Fish and Game Department, with which they would have close contact.

The knowledge that by this close contact with the department they were actually a part of the movement and had a voice in what was going on.

Some illness in town—visitors at South Waterford.

Mrs. Nancy Jewett has been sick with a bad case of grip.

Mrs. Charlotte Fillebrown does not improve very rapidly from her recent illness.

Christine Gardner and Velma Bancroft were both out of school a few days on account of illness, also Doris Rounds has been having a bad cold.

Charles Fillebrown, who injured his knee while sliding, is able to get around comfortably once more.

A goodly number of people from this vicinity attended the circle and pictures at South Waterford and report a very enjoyable time. Also the Grangers from this section, who attended the Installation on Saturday at the same place, enjoyed the day immensely.

Harold Pike, who has been ill with the flu, is improving.

Last week was a busy one, socially, something going on every evening and in the day time, top part of the week.

Who says the country is "dull" in winter?

Miss Carrie Plummer entertained the Reading Club at her home on Thursday evening.

The School of Religious Instruction was held at the Community House, Wednesday evening. A light lunch was served to the intermission.

BETHEL

Connor Garage Enlarged—Parent-Teacher Meeting—Thuman-Houston Wedding—Former Old Tavern Sold—Farm Bureau Officers.

Parker Connor has enlarged his show room towards the street, he is located on Mechanic Street.

Mrs. Sarah Wheeler of Norway, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Albion Holt, Edinboro.

Mrs. and Mrs. Fred Ordway of West Bethel are spending a few weeks with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Lord, Lower Main Street.

Mrs. A. P. Chapman went to Southbury, Wednesday, Jan. 5, to see her father, Alfred Sidelinger, who was ill. As his condition did not improve she remained to help care for him. He failed rapidly and passed away Friday, Jan. 13. Funeral services were held last Sunday. Mrs. Chapman returned to her home in Mayville the first of week.

The January meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association was well attended and a fine program enjoyed, the committee for the next meeting is Mrs. Percy Brink, Miss Th. M. Cooper and Mr. A. J. Len, principal of the grammar school; Mrs. Shirley Chase has fully recovered from her recent illness.

Robert French of Turner was a recent visitor at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Anna French.

Sylvia Bird is staying with her mother, Mrs. Alta Bird, and sister, Madeline.

Douglas Uihman and Miss Ella Houston, both of Bethel, were quietly married Wednesday evening, Jan. 11, by the Rev. W. R. Peterson, pastor of the Methodist Church, at the home of Mr. Uihman's aunt, Mrs. Swicker, where they will reside for the present.

John Coolidge is in very poor health. E. P. Parker recently bought a work horse to take the place of faithful old "Frank," which has become lame. He sent a truck to Andover and as much farther as it could go, to the lumber camp, after the horse, so he could care for him here at his barn. Mr. Peterkin has owned him for a number of years and values his faithfulness.

It is of more than passing interest, the recent sale of Newell Godwin to Harry King of the former Moses Mason place. Mr. Mason sold to Charles Ryerson who kept Tavern there and after his death his widow continued the business for several years. Then Prof. W. R. Chapman bought and made several changes, built several buildings and added to the attractiveness of the interior of the old hostelry, although many of the low celled rooms are as in yore old days. Then it passed into other hands and last year Mr. Godwin bought and moved there.

Mr. King will run it as a hotel, especially catering to summer visitors as he is a former hotel man it will be a success. In connection with this place, it was among the first cleared and settled in the town, the first owner being Capt. Eleazer Twitchell, who was very active in getting other pioneers to locate in that part of the township, this was in 1781, in 1785, the year of the "Great Freshet" where the house now stands was under water to the depth of two feet. It is recorded that the river rose 35 feet at that time.

In 1799, Capt. Twitchell sold the farm to Moses Mason, who came from Dublin, N. H.; he had a son, Moses Jr., who had a son, Aaron, whose son, Moses, who lived on the farm until his death, made it seem necessary to lessen his cares, he sold to Charles Ryerson, who kept the Tavern and after his death his widow continued the business until her death. Prof. W. R. Chapman then became the owner and built several buildings and changing the grounds, adding shrubbery, and in other ways; in a few years it changed hands again and in 1897 Mr. Godwin became the owner and now it is the property of Harry King, who will conduct it again as a Tavern. Mr. King is a former hotel man, so it means success. This farm was in the Mason family nearly a hundred years, well tilled and yielding bountiful crops, since the Moses Mason so many remember, sold it has never received that confined care. We have, living here in the village the last of Aaron Mason's family, Mrs. Angelina Mason Clark, nearing her ninetieth birthday, with her son, Irving. Mrs. Clark is one of the smart, ninety year young women of the state, attending church, caring for her household, and a loved friend.

Mrs. B. P. Peterkin received word, Monday, of the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Harris McKee, of Shelburne, N. H. Funeral service was Tuesday at the home.

Purity Chapter No. 102 O. E. S. installed their officers, Wednesday evening, Jan. 11. Past Worthy Matron Susan Edwards, was the installing officer.

Gilman Chapman of Berlin, N. H., was a visitor, Saturday afternoon, of his father and sister, W. L. Chapman and Mrs. Gertrude Milliken; he returned on the evening train.

Mrs. Harry Brown of the Brown Red Farm was a guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. E. K. Grover, Friday afternoon.

The officers of Bethel Farm Bureau Women's Division, chairman, Mrs. Eva Hastings; secretary, Mrs. Lottie Inman; millinery leader, Mrs. Ada Durell; clothing Mrs. Alice Brown; food, Mrs. Eli Clark; household management, Miss Alice Willis.

The men's division chose as officers for 1928: chairman, Irving Wilson; Club leader, Stephen Abbott; Crops project leader, John C. Anderson.

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A joint installation of Sudbury Lodge K. of P. and Naacmi Temple, Pythian Sisters, was held at the Orange Hall, Tuesday evening, January 15.

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Mary Brown was in Portland, recently.

WEST GREENWOOD Mr. Bubier of Albany has moved into the John Deegan rent in this vicinity and is driving team for John Deegan.

Edith Cross on Howe Hill spent one night last week with her sister, Mrs. Lapham.

Gertrude Harrington was in Portland, shopping one day last week.

Willard Cole is working in the mill yard at Locke Mills.

Old Cummings was a caller in town.

Alister Lowe is hauling pulp for Sumner Bean on the Holt brook.

Alister Lowe of Bethel was in this vicinity, Friday.

Gertrude Harrington called on her sister, Mrs. Fuller, of Subitus, Saturday.

Morris Chase helped Mr. Buck one day last week.

Ernest Cole has gone to work in the mill at Locke Mills.

Mrs. Vashaw was in this vicinity one day, recently.

Roe Cummings spent Sunday with his father in Albany.

Miss Andrews spent the week end at her home.

Mr. Thurlow is sawing pulp for Will Grover.

Mr. Pingree, who lived on Howe Hill and worked for Copeland, has moved to Chandler Hill and is working for Vear Bean.

Gertrude Harrington returned to New York, Monday, after her Christmas vacation at home.

John Deegan is hauling cord wood to Bethel in his truck.

John Kennagh, of South Paris called on his parents last week.

Tom Kennagh Jr. has gone to work in Summer with his brother.

GREENWOOD CENTER

Daniel Cole has been having a hard time with his leg which he hurt while working in the woods.

Minnie Swift spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Swift, at West Paris.

Donald DeShon of Bryant Pond visited at R. L. Martin's, Sunday.

MILTON Cora Millett spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Agnes Coffin, last week, at Bryant Pond.

Mrs. H. S. Billings and two children have gone to her mother's, Mrs. W. S. Millett's, so her mother can help take care of the children as they are sick.

The Milton scholars are out of school again as they have the scarlet fever in the Pinhook school where they go. There has been measles in the school this fall so it was closed a while for them.

Clint Buck went to Norway last week and bought a horse.

Nancy Millett is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Millett. She has been in Lynn, Mass., the past year.

Clara Jackson spent over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jackson.

E. A. Farnum, who got hurt in the woods, was taken to Rumford Community Hospital last week with blood poisoning in his leg. He is getting along well and they don't think he will have to have his leg operated on.

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WELCHVILLE

Dennis Staples Gave to Orr's Island—Several Attend Legion Meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Barrett and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Buck went to Lewiston, Thursday.

Rev. Fred Staples from Orr's Island, who has been visiting his father, Dennis Staples, returned home, Friday, taking his father with him. He is in very poor health.

Miss Ada Grover and Miss Hazel Yea-ton went to Norway, Friday, on the train and hiked home.

Miss Doris Ramsdell left, Sunday, for Poland, where she will teach school.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Holmes and baby, Dorothy Arlene, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Holmes. Several from here attended the American Legion meeting at Oxford, Wednesday evening, Jan. 4th.

Those who had 100 per cent in spelling for the week ending Jan. 6 are: Wilfred Dunforth, Mildred Allen, Arthur Herrick and Barbara Scribner. Bank deposits \$2.52.

LOVELL CENTER Wilbert Harriman and wife were Sunday guests of her sister, Isma Coleman.

Hilton McAlister and grandmother, Ella Smith, spent the week end with relatives in South Paris.

The Whist Party held at the Odd Fellows' Hall at No. 4, Friday evening, was well attended, there were fourteen tables.

Benjamin Russell and housekeeper, Lettie Irish, spent Sunday at Fred Shaw's at West Fryeburg.

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Irving Becker and L. J. Andrews harvested their ice last week.

OXFORD—FORE STREET The Fore Street Sewing Circle were very pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Mildred Twitchell last Thursday, Jan. 26.

Mrs. E. E. Twitchell will have the Circle meet with her.

Mrs. Gertrude Mattor has been working in Lewiston, coming home over the week end.

Chester Douglas has been helping W. Twitchell in the woods.

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25c Break-a-Cold, tablet 17c
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Oxford County United Parish

Doings in the Parish at Waterford, North Waterford and East Stoneham

Well, we would like to tell you about the great times we have been having in the United Parish during the last few weeks. We can only hint at some of them and then we will tell you about some of the coming events.

We have just gotten back from the Circle at North Waterford. The walking was rather poor. The snow plow tried to get through to the church and failed but there was a good crowd there, not so very large, but one of the right sort out for a good time and we had it, after a good supper served by Mrs. Kate Saunders, new president, Mrs. Marston and Mrs. Edith Holt, and after the men folks got through working on the road.

Tomorrow night the scene changes to Waterford, where we are anticipating a second good "Church Night." On Thursday, the young people of East Stoneham are going to have a "Get-together" and if you are at all acquainted there, you realize something of the "doings" there will be. Then on Friday night we come back to North Waterford for a big Community meeting. This will be held at the Grange Hall. Important items will be discussed for the improvement of the Community. The officers of the Association will be elected and the meeting will have the pleasure of hearing from another community and the good work that has been done there during the last two decades and more, when we listen to the story told by Mr. Leon Curtis of the Norway Savings Bank. It is going to be a great time we hope and all of the people interested in helping the community to make a one hundred per cent community will be there. That is to be at the Grange Hall on Friday evening.

Now do not get all mixed up, but we are going to take you back to last week. On Monday evening the Outing Club met with Mr. and Mrs. Bull. This was a right good time, and more than that, considerable business was taken care of. One item that will be of especial interest to you all is this: The third annual Winter Carnival of the Oxford County United Parish, under the direction of the Crooked River Outing Club, will be held at North Waterford, February twenty-fifth. That is enough to tell you now, but we will want to say something more to you about it later. We will add this right now—that the ski jump has been built higher—but that is only the sign of the times, everything is going to be bigger and better than ever. I suppose it would be pretty hard to improve upon the "cats" but do not worry, they will be right up to the standard.

Then on Tuesday evening, at North Waterford, we began the movie circuit with "Rugged Water." We ought especially to mention the big feet of the big crowd and the big time that followed the next night at South Waterford. One of the biggest times we have had on the circuit at all. Wasn't there? Well, it is down now but it was a better time of the Parish, you should have been. Wednesday was a great day at East Stoneham. We had the Council meeting there. The ladies served dinner at the Grange Hall, and then they served their regular Circle supper at 6:00 p. m. That, however, was after one of the best addresses we have listened to at a Council meeting. One lady said, "I could have listened to him all day." Well, that is about the kind of a man that Rev. Kenneth McArthur of Massachusetts is. There were movies at East Stoneham that night. You see they made a day of it. While they were working on the motor of the movie projector, which needed repairs, Mr. McArthur spoke again, and the people were glad to hear him. The Circuit finished one of its biggest weeks for the movie business at North Waterford on Friday night.

Probably we ought to tell you more about what was done at the Council meeting. We will say this much—some of the delegates thought we ought to have more publicity in the Norway Advertiser, and that may be why we are here and at it right now. Then it was also announced that we are duly incorporated. So if any of you want to give us an up to date Community House, or a truck, or a play ground, or anything else that we need and could use so well, do not hesitate long because we are "un-incorporated." One gift has already been promised the Parish, and that is the corner lot at Hunt's Corner, and the buildings on it—a gift from Mr. Rich, of New York, and "Songo."

Now let us take a thing jump and in next week, Sunday is Sunday, and let's go to Church. We have noticed in some of the places an increase in the attendance. There is still a chance to improve the record. Let us see what a good one we can make next week. Will you try it? Then follows a week with another picture that you will all want to see. That is "Gray's Wild Horse Mesa." It is the picture that is screened the next week. Well, we will all want to see it. That is enough to say. Usual places, usual prices, usual nights, and usual good time.

NORTHWEST NORWAY

Merle Merrill Visits Sister in Sweden—Other Visits and Visitors.

Edna French returned to high school after being home two weeks with the mumps.

Merle Merrill went to Sweden last Saturday, to visit his sister, Mrs. Harry Saunders.

Blanche Baker spent the week end with Mrs. Clara Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester French Jr. took supper and spent the evening with Gussie and Will French and family.

Blanche Baker and Clara Pierce called on Mrs. C. D. Morse of North Norway, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester G. French Jr. have gone to Sweden to see their father's G. C. Yates.

Clara Pierce spent Tuesday of last week with Gussie French and she also spent the day, Thursday, with Mrs. R. D. Williams of Noble's Corner.

Chandler Merrill and daughter, Iola, spent the evening last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred French.

Mrs. Willard Berry spent the day, Wednesday of last week, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Flint called on their daughter, Mrs. Willard Berry, last Sunday.

Edna French called on her sister, Mrs. Wayland Upton, last Saturday afternoon.

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FRYEBOURGH-TOLL BRIDGE

Bensons Visit at Frank Barker's—Stillman Barker Busy Installing Officers—Mrs. McAllister Called to South Paris by Illness.

The Benson family of the Harbor were Sunday guests at Frank Barker's.

Miss Katherine Mann of Sweden is working for Mrs. Percy Coombs.

Allan T. Fraser has gone to Northeast Lovell to haul timber for Mr. W. Stearns.

Stillman Barker is busy evenings this week, as he has three lodges of I. O. O. F. to install, namely, Denmark, Cornish and Fryeburg.

He installed the officers of the Brownfield Lodge, Jan. 6. George Nickerson is his assistant.

Mrs. Lewis Charles, son Halbert, Mrs. Rebecca McAllister, daughter Leona, Mrs. Ella McAllister, and son Carlton were Sunday afternoon callers at Mrs. Percy Coombs'.

Stillman Barker and Myron Allen filled their ice houses last week.

Mrs. G. C. McAllister was called to South Paris, Monday, by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Wallace Merrill.

Mrs. Lewis Charles will look after Mrs. McAllister's household while she is away.

19 degrees below zero, January 16.

FRYEBOURGH

Party at B. W. Tinker's—Portland Boys Won Game 29-25.

This kind of weather makes us think of spring; the snow has been going fast and a lot of people prefer riding in wagons instead of sleighs.

Bennett McDaniel has finished sawing ice for Elmer Brackett and has returned to his home in Lovell.

The dance here, Monday night, was well attended.

Donald Stone has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Myron Kimball.

B. W. Tinker gave a party for his Sunday school class, Thursday evening. A nice time was enjoyed by all.

Portland Boys' Club played the Fryeburg Academy boys in basket ball, Friday night, the score being 29-25, with Portland as the winning side.

John Sargent and Josiah Solari are cutting their ice at Lovell's Pond.

R. D. Pickett of Portland was in town one day last week, buying beef cattle.

A. A. Stearns of Lovell and daughter, Sarah, and her friend, Leslie Smith, attended the basket ball game here, Friday night, also Bennett Chandler and Wellington McAllister.

Eloise Jones and Nora McAllister spent Sunday afternoon at Nelson Bartlett's.

NORTH FRYEBURG

D. of P. Installation—Mrs. Pitman Entertained Club.

The D. of P. held a semi-public installation at Red Men's Hall on Tuesday evening, Jan. 10. The officers were installed in a very able manner by the Chief Deputy, Mrs. Esther Flint and the Senior Warden, Mrs. Charles Chandler.

The officers were as follows: Prophetess—Mrs. Nora Webb. High Priestess—Mrs. Lella Chandler.

Warden—Mrs. Walter Pickett. Vice Warden—Mrs. Gertrude Shaw. Treasurer—Mrs. Gertrude Shaw.

1st Steward—Miss Helen Quincey. 2nd Steward—Miss Helen Quincey.

1st Warden—Mrs. Charles Chandler. 2nd Warden—Mrs. Charles Chandler.

1st Banner—Mrs. Helen Hanson. 2nd Banner—Mrs. Helen Hanson.

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LOVELL

New Street Lights Put In—Mrs. Weeman McAllister Dead.

A trained nurse, Mrs. Sadie Marshall, is caring for Mrs. Frank F. Stearns and infant daughter.

The Electric Light Co. has put a number of street lights in the village and also several on the farm.

Mrs. Weeman McAllister, who has been critically ill for some time at the State Hospital, Augusta, passed away, Jan. 12.

She has been a very industrious, hard working woman, taking all the transient people for several years. She had been in poor health for some time but kept at work until last October when she was taken very ill. All was done for her that could be done. Her husband had just been to see her and was on his way home when news reached him of her death. He sides her husband, she leaves an aged mother, Mrs. Cyrus Green of Waterford, also four sisters and one brother; one sister, Mrs. Melvin Bartlett, passed away several years ago. She was forty-seven years of age.

A private funeral at her home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lottie Morrison of Bridgton and Mr. J. Harriman took dinner with her sister, Sunday.

The people around the village are very busy getting their ice.

A few attended the whist party at No. 4 last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Laroque and two girls, Yvonne and Ursula, spent Sunday at Lovell.

Gay Whitwell was in Portland, Thursday.

Mrs. Nettie Merrill has returned home from Chatham, N. Y. She was forty-seven years of age.

Mae Harmon has been visiting her brother, Herbert Harmon, at North Fryeburg.

Mrs. S. R. Andrews and Mrs. Perley Severance entertained the whist party at No. 4, Friday night.

BRIDGTON

Miss Bishop, Community Nurse, Arrived Saturday to Take Up Duties—New Ford Demonstrated Saturday.

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Top-Working of Apple Trees

In Oxford County Looms Big for Coming Spring

The Oxford County Farm Bureau, as well as Farm Bureaus in eleven other counties, have united in a campaign to encourage farmers and orchard men to top-work or graft over their healthy vigorous trees of inferior varieties such as the Ben Davis, Peewaukes, Gano and others to the commercially important varieties like McIntosh and Northern Spy.

The campaign will be county-wide, but special effort will be placed upon the three communities in Oxford County: Buckfield, North Paris and South Paris.

In each of these communities a committee is functioning, and already a survey has been made to determine the number of trees suitable to top-work. It is the purpose of the committee to help arrange for orchard meetings, grafting demonstrations, local supplies of scions and wax, and see that every man has an opportunity to get assistance in top-working his trees.

Every fruit grower should become familiar with the "New England Seven" varieties: James Melrose, Yellow Delic, Young Baldwin, Wealthy, Gravenstein and R. I. Greening.

Stanley Perham's Mineral Shop Opened Lot of People Sick—R. L. Cummings Returned from New York.

Stanley Perham, who recently rented the shop back of C. P. Dunham's, has been fitting it up for mineralogy and nature displays has it finished and opened to the public last week, Thursday.

He has a fine collection of rock specimens, birds and a great variety of other nature objects. This week he has installed a seven tube, loud speaker radio. Call in and see him.

A lot of people are sick, among them are Mrs. Eva Doble, with grip, confined to the bed for a week or more.

Mabel Bacon is helping her. Eva Tucker, grip was east of Portland, Me. Mrs. Holt Young has been nursing there. Ruth Tucker had just gotten better from a very ill turn. Mrs. Will Lane has been helping them.

Glenn Ring had a bad cold, with ear trouble, but is better.

Carl Hollis had jaundice for three weeks, left with heart complications and quite nervous. Dr. Cushman of Auburn was called last week in consultation with Dr. Kay.

Beatrice Davis is at home from Portland, where she has been employed as a bookkeeper, had been doing extra work to help out another clerk, came home with nervous breakdown, is gaining slowly.

Mrs. Clara Ryder is ill with eye trouble at her niece's, Mrs. P. C. Mayhew's.

Mrs. Helen Stuart has just recovered from grip, with eye trouble.

Charles Cash, of C. C. Long's, where he boards, attack of appendicitis developed lung trouble. He has been moved to Freedland Herrick's to be cared for.

Levi Jacobson is still at St. Bernadine Hospital, Portland. His operation for mastoid ear seems to be a success. His grandmother, Mrs. H. R. Tuell, who went with him, came home last week for a few days.

Mrs. Juliette F. Curtis is convalescing from pneumonia. Martha Day is helping her.

Prof. D. A. Libby's two children have been having the prevailing distemper. Chicken pox has appeared in G. L. Briggs' family at Trap Corner.

Clarence L. Bick has been in the State Street Hospital for an operation for tonsils, which was successful.

Friends of J. F. Emerson of Portland, a former resident here, will be interested to know that he has recently undergone a critical gland operation at a Boston hospital and is resting comfortably.

Mrs. Jennie Andrews is slowly gaining from her recent illness at her daughter's, Mrs. Mabel Mann's.

Mrs. Laura McKee and Mrs. Nettie Chase visited Mrs. Frank Hayes at Bryant's Pond, last week, Wednesday.

There was a large attendance at the joint installation of Onward Rebekahs and I. O. O. F.'s, supper was served to members and their families.

The new model, a Tudor Ford sedan of the Ripley & Fletcher Co., spent a day visiting West Paris in honor of the local agent, Lauri Immonen.

A larger number than usual were out to Grange, last Saturday.

R. L. Cummings attended the automobile show in New York City, last week. He gives a glowing account of his visit and splendid entertainment, toasts and speeches. Around 1,000 dealers of the Overland Auto Co. from a large section of the United States were banqueted at the Astor Place. His description of the menu, favors and decorations made him smile all over, said he always thought he could eat ice cream, no matter how much he had eaten before, but this time he was beaten. He made a short stop in Boston each way.

HANOVER
Oxford Bear Lodge will hold a private installation Saturday evening, Jan. 21.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Saunders attended the joint installation of the Knights of Pythias and the Pythian Sisters at Bethel, Tuesday evening. Mrs. Saunders being the installing officer for Nacamp Temple.

Ernest Moores has returned from a short vacation.

Mrs. Perkins, who has been assisting at the house of H. E. Dyer, was called away on another case last week.

Mrs. G. C. Barker and daughter were home over the week end.

C. F. Saunders and Arthur Stearns have been filling the ice houses around town.

FREEDOM NOTICE
This is to certify that on this day given my son, Stanley Albert Thurston, his time during the remainder of his minority and that I shall not pay any bills of his contracting, nor claim any of his wages.

MRS. ALBIE B. THURSTON
Norway, Maine, December 29, 1927. 8-5

EAST FRYEBURG

Frank Sanborn has been confined to the house with a bunch of boils on the back of his neck, requiring medical attendance.

The Farm Bureau extension held an interesting meeting with good attendance, Thursday, at the Grange Hall. Reed and cane work was taken up.

Another team has been added to the one hauling brick bolts from Pleasant Mountain to Warren's mill. H. D. Hadden is delivering 50 M pine to Warren's mill.

Johnie Harnden and Ellis Potter are cutting it.

B. B. Warren is sick, but improving. Mrs. Ada M. Harnden is there, returning from Portland.

There were six members of East Fryeburg at the special meeting held for installation of officers at Fryeburg Center, Friday evening. Alice Douglas, Vivian Richards and Bernice Harnden walked up and back, a distance of nearly 18 miles. They report a fine time.

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Good News for State Grange

(Communication)
Editor Norway Advertiser, Norway, Maine:
Good news comes from the Maine State Grange. Not having noticed the date of the session had been set a week earlier, and not having noticed the fact, myself and some others that approved of progressive measures, cannot be blamed for the rebellious state of mind exhibited against the reactionary elements that have dominated our officials.
The membership of the grange is and has been progressive and interested in progressive work for the general good. The records will show that they have always stood for the reformation and development of our public owned natural resources to be developed for the public good. They have always stood for just and proper regulation of our public utilities. They have always been willing to advance the cause of the general welfare wherever they could be shown what that course was.
When electing officials for our State Grange, those men they were advancing to those positions, whether in progress or not, to be inaugurated in the future. Strange to say in recent years, the men so elected, when safely settled in office, have reversed the policy formerly pursued by the grange in regard to these matters.
This is especially noticeable in relation to our great waterpowers, that for all time to come, so far as the vision of man can see, must be a source of power and light for the future, for us and coming generations. These men that assume to represent us, at every opportunity have attempted before legislative committees or other bodies in behalf of our great corporations to reduce their taxes, knowing that by that act those whom they were supposed to represent would thereby be obliged to pay more. They have stood for the giving without any adequate compensation our priceless waterpower to such men as the Insulls and those that join with them. They have tried to prevent the membership from taking proper action against our railroads when they attempted to increase the burdensome and unjust rates upon our dairy products. While crying "Keep politics out of the grange" they have by their own acknowledgment spread political propaganda through the organization.
These acts finally culminated in the attempt to accomplish the repeal of the direct primary. When they issued the order for the granges to take no action in regard to the proposed repeal.
They had evidently found it impossible to use the grange to accomplish their ends so wished to prevent us from taking any action in the matter even from taking the grange has been instrumental in assisting in the enactment of the law.
The grange is a great nonpartisan organization capable of accomplishing great good for the public. Politicians and financial interests have been quick to see this and also quick to see the great advantages to them and their schemes if they could in some way neutralize this force or turn it to their use.
The logical thing was to control this great force by seeing that men who when elected would serve their purposes. In order to accomplish this result the natural way would be to select smooth men who wanted some prominence, that when elected to office would "take programs" as the saying is, and make ready excuses that the public would receive great benefits through the free gift of our great water-powers to such men as the Insulls. Men that have given to politicians hundreds of thousands of dollars to carry even primary elections. The grange seems to be waking up to these facts.
I have been in a position to know whereof I speak.
Whenever one of those officials see the handwriting on the wall and retires, it is customary for him to select some man that will pass well with the public (who are not inclined to be too critical, and as a general thing, have no knowledge as to the position the candidate will take upon the important questions that are sure to arise). This man is sure to have the strong support of the machine, in order to maintain the reactionary power in the official family. It seems that this is not succeeded as well as it has in the past.
If the grangers of this state can awake to the fact that it is necessary for them to see that men are elected that will represent them. Why should not the citizens in general awake to the same fact?
Here is a situation that would seem to call for such action. We have so far succeeded in maintaining something of our rights in our water-power. This has been done by having a governor who would look after the interests. Now we are confronted with a situation that may charge all this. The two candidates that are prominently before the public for the Republican nomination are Mr. Hinckley, who is the outspoken advocate of the desires of the Insulls, and Mr. Gardner who voted for their project to give them in fee simple the great Kennebec (Deadriver) storage, that engineers admitted to be of \$6,000,000 value.
Will the public ever come forward and select a candidate to carry out their wishes or simply neglect the privileges secured by the direct primary and simply choose between those that aspire to office even though they are opposed to the vital measures that we have so far, at much trouble been able to secure.
West Paris Maine, January 9th, 1928
E. L. Cummings.

LOVELL CENTER
The installation of Suncook grange was held Friday evening, January 6th. An oyster supper was served at 6:30 to over 50 people. The following officers were installed in a very pleasing manner by Past Master Bennett McDaniels, assisted by G. H. Barker and Beatrice Severance.
Master—Ethan McDaniels.
Vice-master—Charles McDaniels.
Lecturer—Sadie Flint.
Chaplain—Otis Stanley.
Steward—Adolph Stanley.
Assistant Steward—Eugene Flint.
Treasurer—Charles Stanford.
Secretary—Ruth Stanford.
Gate Keeper—Harry Ring.
Ores—Edna McKee.
Flora—Rachel Kimball.
Flora—Edna McKee.
L. A. Steward—Beatrice Severance.
Mrs. Nellie Eastman has been staying for four days with her son Roger and family. Mr. and Mrs. Rodolph McAllister spent Sunday at her father's Herbert McKee's.
Bet Brackett and Herbert McKee are logging at Sabattus for O. B. Andrews. Marion Ridlon from Bridgton called on Elizabeth Eastman, Sunday.
Charles Stanford and wife were guest Sunday at L. L. Stearns's.

WILSON'S MILLS
Schools began Jan. 22nd with the same teachers. Mrs. Linnell is boarding at Wm. Hart's during the winter term.
Dr. Thibodeau of Berlin was in town, recently, to see little Gordon Ridlon, who has had bronchial pneumonia. He also called at Clinton Bennett's where Clinton Jr. has bronchitis.
Miss Grace Allison who spent the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Leon Bennett, has returned to her school in Connecticut.
P. J. Littlehale stuck a stub into his hand, recently, and had to make a trip to the doctor's to have it removed.
The recent rains and thaws have taken most of the snow, making it very slippery and hard for loggers.

SUMNER-LABRADOR BOND

Leland and Lawrence Andrews have harvested their ice, hauling it with the truck from Labrador Pond, George Spaulding saving it for them.
Wesley Pollard has been hauling pulp to East Sumner for not having noticed the Glover school has been closed, due to the teacher's husband, Israel Gammon, being taken suddenly ill, recently. It is understood that the nature of the trouble is with the kidneys or bladder. He was taken to a hospital in Portland, where he will be treated for a time before submitting to an operation.
Leland Andrews recently sold a cow to Hersey Warren of Buckfield. Mr. Andrews was in the twin cities recently, stopped off on his way down and spent a night with his old friends, Frank and Margaret Verill, at Mechanic Falls.
Harry Holmes has put the ice into the new ice house for Mr. Tilton at Camp Tildor, Labrador Pond.
Leland Andrews recently had over-night guests, recently, of Mrs. Andrews' cousin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Linnell, Rumford.
Mrs. Nellie Dyer, who has been stopping with her aunt, May Robinson, and attending Canton High, is now stopping at the home of Dwight Bissie in Canton.
Leland Andrews is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Ames, South Paris, for a couple of weeks.
Angie Libby is confined to her bed by sickness.
Francis Benson and Grace Dyer attended Relief Corps meeting at West Sumner, recently.
Mabel Dyer has been used up with a cold and cold abscesses in her head, but is somewhat improved.
SOUTH WOODSTOCK
Lionel Etchier, who has been very sick, is reported comfortable. Mrs. Florence Etchier, N. H. is caring for him.
Mr. and Mrs. Everett Howe and baby Olive and Leslie Bryant, Bryant Pond, spent Jan. 8 at Frank E. Davis's.
Mrs. Gaydon Davis had her tonsils removed. She is getting along well. Her grandmother, Mrs. Sylvester Estes, is with her.
Orville Buck is visiting his son, Llewellyn Buck, in Lewiston.
Chester Beckler had another ill turn, recently.
Mrs. Faye Littlehale visited Mrs. Andrew Ross, recently.
Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Andrews, Walter Appleby and Fred Andrews attended the Masonic meeting at Norway, recently.
Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Andrews were in Lewiston, January 10.
Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Andrews spent Jan. 8 in Portland with their daughter, Mrs. R. E. Cleaves.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Appleby were in Lewiston and Pigeon Hill, recently.
Mrs. Myra Harlow and two children are sick with the measles.
Charbel Swift returned to her work at Norway, recently.

HIRAM
There was a special town meeting held here to buy or hire a tractor and plow to remove the snow from the roads. We have had no snow storm and in some people's minds it is not going to be practical on back roads.
There was an annual planning meeting of the Hiram Farm Bureau, December 31, and the following officers were elected:
President—R. N. Lowell, Chairman.
Assistant—Paul Wadsworth.
Secretary—W. I. Barker.
Crops and Dairy—A. M. Noble.
Farming—Tom Hammond.
Farm Manager—J. M. Moore.
It was planned that J. M. Moore and R. N. Lowell are to carry a potato seed planting demonstration. There are four farm account books carried.
Blanche Newcomb and Albert Mains are at work for Mrs. Lewis Meserve.
J. M. Moore has taken a cordwood and birch job of R. N. Lowell. Freeman Durbin and Willis Ward are going to work for him.
Gertrude Cotton is a work at Fryburg.
Irvin Cram and wife are at work for Payson Rich at North Fryburg.
Brooklyn Merrifield, Paul Wadsworth and Marguerite Wadsworth were home over Christmas vacation.

NORTH PARIS—TUELL TOWN
A. D. Littlehale and William Littlehale were at Lester Morgan's, recently, with their saving outfit.
Mrs. Henry Helkenen is ill with an attack of appendicitis. Dr. Kay is attending her.
Sylvia Morgan is staying at R. T. Flaherty, West Paris, this term of school.
Mrs. J. K. Bradford spent the day, Jan. 3, with Mrs. Columbia Dunham of West Paris, the occasion being Mrs. Dunham's birthday.
Arthur Stevens is yarding his pulp. George Noyes is working for him.
Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Allen and family visited at M. L. Rowe's, North Buckfield, January 10.
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Billings and family, West Sumner, were New Year's guests at B. F. Elwell's.
A. C. Allen and L. H. Hazleton are harvesting their ice from Moose Pond.

EAST STONEHAM
Raymond McAllister and Bert Nelson killed a pig for Ralph Kuckton Jan. 7. Vergie Littlefield went to Auburn, Jan. 7, after his son, Harland.
Silas Stearns sawed wood for John Barker, Charles Chaplin and Perley Grover, recently.
Leah McAllister has been sick and unable to attend school.
Ruth Johnson and Chester Rowe were callers at Raymond McAllister's, recently. Lucile McAllister visited at her grandson's, Errol Barker's, for a few days.
Mr. and Mrs. F. R. McAllister will soon move to Slide Inn to work for Merton McAllister.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chaplin called at Vergie Stearns, recently.
Roger Adams of Norway spent Saturday night and Sunday at C. L. Chaplin's. Mrs. Eva Barker and Mrs. Edith McAllister walked out to North Waterford and spent the day at Ernest Cousin's. Carlton Barker has a radio installed. Cecil Barker, Gus Andrews and Win McAllister recently went fishing on Upper Stone Pond and caught seventeen good sized pickerel.
Maud McAllister has been sick with a cold.
GILEAD
Mrs. Josephine Wheeler has gone to Gorham, N. H., to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. B. E. Harriman, Alpine Street.
Misses Harriet and Frances Daniels have returned to Portland after spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Daniels.
Mrs. Frank Gallagher of Berlin, N. H., is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Mary Filstead.
Ross Williamson has completed his duties for G. E. Leighton and gone to Gorham, N. H.
Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Swan of Bethel were guest of relatives in town, recently.
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kiser have completed their duties at Leighton's camp and returned to their home in Percy, N. H.
Roy K. Freeman of Portland was a recent visitor in town.
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lary of Norway were called here, recently, by the sudden death of his brother, Hoses Lary.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Griffin of Portland have been guests at the home of A. T. Heald.
Samuel Moore spent the week end with relatives in Berlin, N. H., recently.

HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

As we are usually encompassed with snow drifts it seemed quite an event that Mr. Bull could come in an automobile to the church as late as January 8. Mr. Bull gave us an interesting sermon; text used in John 3:16 "God giveth not the spirit by measure unto him." Mr. Bull seemed pleased to find so many gathered for the meeting while our attendance in winter could but be small. The distance travelled by those that were there would surprise some larger congregations.
Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Little went to Bethel on a business trip, recently. Their R. I. Red pullets have made a good record. In the month of December, 84 pullets laid 1195 eggs. Since beginning to lay in September, they have laid nearly 4,000 eggs.
Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wardwell visited her sister, Mrs. Nellie Green, also niece, Mrs. Herbert Walker and family at East Waterford, recently.
Hugh Stearns has finished hauling his pulp.
School in the town house district closed Thursday, January 5. The parents all feel it was a successful term. Miss Murphy after a week's vacation will teach in Carmel, Maine, recently.
Irving Beckler, who had a serious attack of indigestion is much better so that he is around at work again.
L. J. Andrews and others are harvesting their ice.
The members of Round Mountain Grange met at their hall, Saturday, January 7th for an all day meeting. A pleasant social hour was spent and a nice dinner served, after which Master Leon Kimball called the meeting to order. After the usual business the officers were inducted in a pleasing manner by Bro. Roy Wardwell. These installed were:
Master—Leon Kimball.
Lecturer—Hilde Donahue.
Seward—Charles Morey.
Treasurer—W. I. Barker.
Secretary—Ruth Kimball.
Ceres—Ruth Kimball.
Our worthy Master gave us a very interesting account of the business done at State Grange. We hope in the future he will tell us still more about the meeting.
Sister Bruce reported gaining from an attack of rheumatism.

WEST FRYEBURG
Mrs. Fred Meserve has been sick, but is better at this writing.
Beatrice Thompson, who is attending business college at Fryburg, was home over the week end, recently.
Mrs. Steven Buzzell has been sick with tonsillitis.
Mary Hutchins has gone back to her work at Conway, N. H.
Helen Hutchins is home from the hospital; her father, Byron Hutchins, has gone to North Fryburg to stay with his son, Thomas, and family, for a while.
David Irving was a visitor at Cleveland Robbins' over the week end, recently. Wallace Abbott was also a visitor there.
Charles Irish and family were callers at Harold McKee's, January 10.
Katherine Gale is sick.
Donald McKee returned to the University of Maine, at Orono, Jan. 2.

STOW
William Sanborn is the proud possessor of a roll top desk which Santa left for him.
Josephine Leso was the week end visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wiggin's, recently.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Onslow Smith.
Ruth and Helen Eastman were home for the week end, recently.
Maude Eastman is conveying the pupils this term.
Charles out his foot very badly. Sliding parties have been enjoyed at Stow village.

DENMARK
The G. R. meeting was held Jan. 9 at the schoolhouse. They are planning a Mother-Daughter Banquet next. The tractor and plough have arrived. Robert Day and Leo Smith will run them. At the Masonic meeting, Wednesday night, Jan. 4, they had installation and at Star Lodge, Thursday night, Jan. 5, election of officers.
Robert Day fractured his right wrist above the joint, cranking a Pore. Mrs. Belcher entertained at bridge, Jan. 3 and Nell Berry Jan. 7.
Edward Buck has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Trumbull for ten days. He works in Hartford, Ct.
Myrtle Rose led the Christian Endeavor meeting, Jan. 9. The topic was "What Prayer Can Accomplish." There were thirteen present and it was a splendid, active, enthusiastic meeting. After the meeting, there were light refreshments and singing.

BRIDGTON

Large Meeting at Advent Church—Webb Doughty Wedding—Bridgton Music Club Meeting.
The Advent Church was crowded to capacity, January 10, by an audience eager to hear the special sermon on "Can a Christian Believe in Evolution?" by the pastor, Rev. Herbert H. Holland. In connection with the sermon there were the regular devotional services conducted by the pastor, and singing by the male quartet which Mr. Holland, Ralph Abbott, Frederick Johnson and Forest Abbott are members.
A wedding of interest which took place Sunday, Jan. 1st, at the Methodist parsonage, was the marriage of Isaiah S. Webb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Webb, and Marion B. Doughty, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Ernest F. Doughty. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Doughty and the double ring service was used. The couple will reside at the Webb home on North High Street.
The annual meeting of the Music Club held at the home of Mrs. Howard E. Burnham, twenty-eight people present. Those not already members, joined at this meeting. From various suggestions made the name "Fremont" was chosen for the Club. A musical program was then put on consisting of piano duets by Mrs. Walter P. Dow and Mrs. Grace Richardson, piano solos by Mrs. Al Keene, readings by Mrs. Allen P. Clarke and Mrs. Wm. A. Richmond; vocal duets by Mrs. LaVance Staley and Mrs. Grace Richardson; victrola records and community singing. Miss Muriel Thomas was added to the music committee.
At a special meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club, held Tuesday evening at the Bridgton Tavern, the following members were elected by ballot to the club, Miss Della Staley, Mrs. Ernest F. Doughty, Miss Annie L. Chadwick, Miss Muriel M. Thomas, Mrs. Joseph T. Barsley, Mrs. Florence Dunham was chosen chairman of an entertainment committee, her committee to consist of the program committee and Mrs. Grace Richardson.
At the Edward Lopenan Post meeting held January 10 at the Grand Army Hall, it was voted to hold an entertainment at the next meeting, which will be held Tuesday evening, Jan. 26 at the hall. Committee in charge, Byron G. Rolfe, Mrs. Byron G. Rolfe and Lewis Miner. The entertainment will be public only to patriotic bodies. Post Commander George E. Kimball installed Lewis H. Miner as vice commander; Lawrence B. Banks acting as Grand Sergeant at Arms.

FRYEBURG
School has begun again at the Academy after a brief vacation.
John Weston has returned to his school at Tilton, N. H.
Mrs. Mary Post called on Mrs. P. R. Locke, one day recently.
Sampson Harriman seems to be more comfortable at this writing.
George Weston has returned from New Jersey.
People in this vicinity are filling their ice chests.
A lot of excitement here Friday night, January 6th. Walter Smith's store at East Conway burned. The fire department at Fryburg was called, but everything was too far gone to save anything.
G. W. Weston was in Denmark one day recently, buying cattle.
Donald Stone of Lovell went to Portland one day recently. He stayed overnight with his sister, Mrs. Myron Kimball, on his return trip.
Harry Eastman is in the Memorial Hospital at Portland, where he has been operated on for appendicitis.
Callers at Mrs. E. N. Bartlett's, recently, were Mrs. Myron Kimball, Donald Stone, Olive Kimball, and Nora McAllister.

FRYEBURG-TOLL BRIDGE

Frank Hill is cutting timber for Arthur Wilby.
Fred Hill has finished work at West Fryburg.
Katherine Mann of Sweden is working for Mrs. Percy Coombs.
Harold McAllister's hand is improving slowly. He was at the doctor's, Jan. 6, to have it dressed.
Mr. and Mrs. Myron Allen spent Jan. 8 at W. B. Benson's at the Harbor.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill visited at F. A. Holt's, recently.
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Charles were recent callers at G. G. McAllister's.
Stillman Barker went to Brownfield to install the officers of the I. O. O. F. George Nickerson went with him as Grand Marshal.
Allan Fraser is suffering with inflammation of the eyes.

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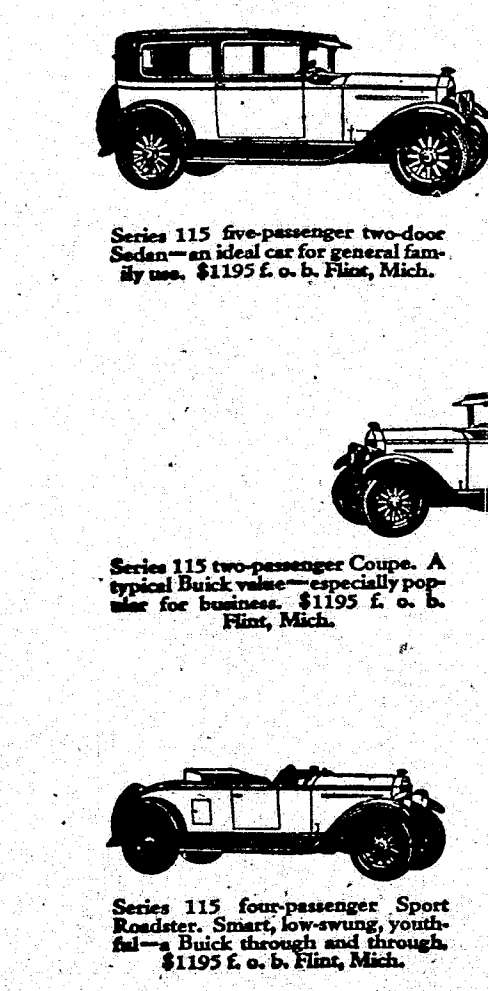
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Lesson for January 22

JESUS AND THE LAW

LESSON TEXT—Mark 2:18-23.
GOLDEN TEXT—Think not that I am come to destroy the law, or the prophets. I am not come to destroy but to fulfill.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Doing Good on the Lord's Day.
JUNIOR TOPIC—How to Use the Lord's Day.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How Jesus Obedied the Law.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Jesus Declares the High Law

1. Jesus and fasting (vv. 18-22).
1. The questions asked (v. 18).
The scribes and pharisees seeing Jesus eating with the publicans and sinners, raised the question as to why He did so. When Jesus heard their question He declared, "They that are whole have no need of the physician, but they that are sick." Another question was then asked as to why Christ's disciples did not fast when the disciples of John and of the pharisees did fast? John the Baptist was now in prison, therefore his disciples were mourning for him.

2. Christ's answer (vv. 19, 20).
In explanation He raised the question, "Can the children of the bride-chamber fast while the bridegroom is with them?" He then declared that as long as they have the bridegroom with them they cannot fast. The time will come, however, when they would fast. He is now away. Fasting, therefore, is appropriate.

3. New wine in old bottles (vv. 21, 22).

The bottles mentioned here were made of skins of animals. In the fermentation of the wine there was expansion which stretched the skin. To put new wine in the bottle after it was stretched would cause it to be rent asunder when fermentation took place. The same thing in principle would be realized if new cloth were used on old garments. The teaching designed was to show the foolishness of imposing old customs on the new age.

II. The Disciples Plucking Ears of Corn on the Sabbath (Mark 2:23-28).

1. The charge made against the disciples (vv. 23, 24).

Perhaps they were on their way to the synagogue to worship when they plucked the ears of corn. For this act the pharisees accused them of lawlessness.

2. Jesus defends them against the charge (vv. 25-28).

(1) He cites a precedent (vv. 25, 26).
He showed them that the very law which they charged the disciples with breaking recorded the fact that David the great king of Israel had gone into the house of God and eaten the bread which should be eaten only by the priests.

(2) He shows the nature of a Sabbath law (v. 27).

The Sabbath was made for man, therefore its right use is to be determined by the good of man. The laws of honesty, truth, purity and love differ from the law of the Sabbath and there is no circumstance or condition under which they may be departed from.

(3) Jesus is the Lord of the Sabbath (v. 28).

It was He who instituted it when creation was finished, therefore He had a right to use it as it pleased Him for man's good.

III. Jesus Healing a Man's Withered Hand on the Sabbath (3:1-6).

1. The place—the synagogue (v. 1).
Jesus' example shows what He did on the Sabbath. He went to the place of worship. The presence of the man with a withered hand gave Jesus an opportunity to administer a rebuke to the pharisees.

2. The pharisees watching (v. 2).

They knew that Jesus would be interested in this helpless man. They surmised that some work would have to be performed to heal him.

3. The man made an example (v. 3).

Jesus wanted the case to be on all to all, so He commanded the man to stand forth where all could see him.

4. The question asked (v. 4).

"Is it lawful to do good on the Sabbath day, or to do evil, to save life, or to kill?" He made the issue clear; He plainly showed them that to fail to do good, to show works of mercy, to save life, is to be guilty of wrongdoing, even of murder.

5. The man healed (v. 5).

Christ healed by speaking the Word, so they could not accuse Him.

6. The result (vv. 4, 6).

The pharisees were silenced. There was no ground upon which to accuse Him. But since their hearts were bent upon His destruction they sought how they might put Him to death.

Effect of One Sin

Where one sin has entered, legions will force their way through the same breach.—Rogers.

Obedience

Obedience means marching right on whether we feel like it or not.—D. L. Moody.

Christian Religion

The Christian religion is not taught; it is caught from some one who has it.—Inns.

SOUTH OTISFIELD

Thomas Ames had the misfortune to lose his foot badly but is better now. Walter Jordan hauled ice for Howard Ames, Friday, January 6th.

Mrs. Silas Whitman has returned home from Boston, where she has been visiting.

Howard Ames has been hauling wood for Charles Scribner.

Mrs. Esther Severy returned to her school Tuesday, January 10 at North Bridgton Academy.

Mrs. Ester Jordan is a little better.

Ira Edwards spent Saturday January 7, with her aunt, Mrs. Fred Fortier.

Mrs. Eva Scribner spent a day recently with her mother, Mrs. Carrie Scribner.

Observations and Comments

Two Norway boys, who are winning deserved success as newspaper writers, have been successful in their efforts. They are Walter L. Sanborn, editor of the North Penn Reporter of Lansdale, Pa., and D. Cronett Clark, newspaper writer of Winterville, Mass.

I was much pleased to read in the Advertiser some weeks ago that Sanborn had won a notable political contest in his county at the November election and I obtained a copy of his paper at the office of the Advertiser to see what kind of a journal he was conducting. I found it ably edited and was delighted at the wit and humor shown in his "Pointers." He has a great future before him. I am quite sure. I hope to see him rise as a political factor of influence and go to the Legislature and perhaps to Congress. All this is possible, as he is on the right side of the political fence to succeed in Pennsylvania. He is a clean young man and nothing can be said to his discredit. There is a place for such a leader as he might be in the old Keystone State.

In his country is the historic Valley Forge, not far from the great city of Philadelphia. There, Washington won one of his greatest triumphs in keeping his little band of ragged and half starved soldiers of the cold winter of 1778.

Mr. Sanborn's grandfather, Albert Sanborn, was a member of the Maine Legislature from Baldwin in the early fifties of the last century and helped to make Maine a free state. He was one of the founders of the dominant party of today patriots together through those terrible and an able man and a good citizen. I pay this tribute to his memory. He was my old friend and my first acquaintance with him to his death.

Mr. Sanborn, among other incidents of his legislative experience, told me the following story, at which he laughed heartily.

Being selected as one of the committee to visit the Hospital for the Insane, he talked with one of the inmates who had evidently kept in touch with the legislative doing and said he "You fellows across the river at the State House had better come over here and let us go over there and make the laws. The people of the State would be quite as well off, I judge, by some of the acts you have passed."

I hope to live long enough to see the grandson of this good man a member of his state legislature and in line for a seat in Congress.

D. C. Clark, though born in South Paris, received his printer's education in the advertiser office. He was here thirteen years, and any kind of ordinary intelligence who has passed that length of time under the instruction of Editor F. W. Sanborn, may confidently be presumed to thoroughly understand the newspaper business, but Mr. Clark is very much more than ordinary in every sense. He is not a person who has such a nervous capacity for acquiring and retaining facts, as he. I have known him from early boyhood and I do not know of anything to his discredit. Just what his present work consists of, is largely unknown to me, nor do I know whether he has any taste for political position or is in the right locality to attain it. He has ability, is industrious and persevering and would doubtless "get there" if he tried. I hope he'll try.

Mr. Clark has good blood in him. On his mother's side, he is descended from Nathaniel Letourneau, Revolutionary Patriot of Middleboro, Mass., who settled in Buckfield after the war. His children were of the most intelligent and worthy people of this town. Uncle Nat, Uncle Jake and Aunt Susan, as everybody called them, were never married. Sarah married Eliza Morton. They were the grand-children of D. C. Clark. I did not personally know them. The epitaphs on the gravestones in the old burying ground of Uncles Nat and Jake and Aunt Susan, whom I knew and admired, are not out of place here. On Nathaniel's was this: "While we can say I never did him wrong," on Jacob's: "I tried to serve my God by dealing justly with my fellow men," on Susanah's: "She always tried to do her duty." Who would not be proud of being related to such worthy people as these were?

The writer has seldom indulged in telling a fish story. The reason for this is that in my boyhood when one related something very remarkable or seemingly greatly exaggerated, it was usually dubbed a "fish story." And a fish story came to be associated in my mind with a species of untruth which did little harm as no one was expected to be deceived by it, being assumed that the hearer would greatly discount it. But I early learned to fish and liked the sport. There were some fair sized trout down in the old meadow, and quite large pickerel in South Pond, about a mile from home. I have never got over the thrill of feeling the line tighten on the rod, or seeing a large pickerel moving quickly through the water, to swallow the bait on the hook. My interest in fishing, however, has waned with the passing years, the scarcity of the kinds I like most for the frying pan, and the troublesome laws which prevent fishing for food and putting the matter largely into the hands of mere sportsmen.

Generally in those days of free fishing, one could catch in the bog this side of Crockett's Bridge, or along the shore in an hour's time, about sunset, half a dozen fair sized pickerel—enough for two or three meals, which when dressed, cut into small pieces and well browned on both sides, served with a little butter and fresh potatoes, furnished one of the best dishes ever served for the table.

I've caught some big pickerel at the head of the lake and in Dunham's bog, while staying at "Sunset."

On one occasion with Verne, then a student in the high school, and Bob, a scholar at the Upper Primary, I rowed over to Goat Island point into that bog. My pole was a fair sized bamboo and this fish line was about twelve or fifteen inches longer than the pole. For bait, I had some small frogs. As the boat rounded the point of the island, I noticed near the western shore in the shade of the trees below Cole Island—it was late in the afternoon—a solitary fisherman in a boat. He would cast his fly as far from him as possible, then slowly reel in the line. This was done several times before we passed out of sight into the bog, but no fish during that time had risen to his bait. We were soon on the fishing ground where it was hoped we might get hold of a good sized pickerel. It was near some lily pads and adjusting the bait through a frog's head, on the hook, I began quietly to move it around in front of the pads.

I now collected odds to fish in those days and they would rarely catch or take as I shook the pole to the great merriment of the boys. Finally one of them said, "Father, you'll never catch any fish as long as your odds catch rats or mice."

I was about to take them off and had sat down in the boat for that purpose when I felt a big pull at the line and without waiting to rise to my feet so as to skillfully handle the pole I swung the fish up and into the water. It was a big pickerel with a yellow belly and I was greatly excited. I should lose him, and the chances were that I would, for he was poorly hooked. As I swung the fish toward the west end of the boat where Verne sat, he seized the line and lifted the fish over the side of the boat just as it dropped off the hook into the bottom. He had saved the fish. It was some time before my nerves had sufficiently quieted to resume the fishing, but the other fish near, how-

ever, had had time to get still. I soon had another pickerel hooked and as I stood up and cast the fish a sufficient time to swallow the bait, I found no difficulty in landing it in the boat. It will be understood of course that we had no net and that one having a longer line than the pole, while sitting down in a boat, would of necessity find more or less difficulty in safely landing his catch. This one was nearly as big as the first. Two or three smaller ones were caught. As we then had enough for supper and breakfast, we "knocked off" and started for the cottage.

On rounding the point of Goat Island again, the same solitary fisherman was seen to about the locality he was discovered in at first, and to be going through the same identical motions.

A party who had put out from the shore near this fisherman, came rowing towards us. "What luck?" he asked. Verne held up one of the two biggest fish and Bob the other. "Gee, they are good ones. Did you leave any for me?"

"Guess so," was the answer. "As we left after the last fish was caught, but who is the lone fisherman over there near the western shore, who appears to stay right in one place and though busy casting his fly and reeling in his line doesn't seem to catch any fish?"

"Oh that is Fred W. Sanborn, editor of the Advertiser," he replied. Thereupon he told us that Mr. Sanborn was a sportsman, who fished for the pleasure he derived from it and not for the fish he caught to eat, as after weighing and marking those he got into the boat, he would throw them back into the water. "He said," Mr. Sanborn would regard it as sacrilege to fish with anything but a fly. He abhors plug fishing above everything else on earth." Here was food for reflection.

And I will here state for the curious that I have never been able to find out approximately how many fish Mr. Sanborn has caught during his forty years or more of fishing—he has probably fished in about every good stream, lake, and pond in Maine and New Hampshire—how many of the same fish he has caught more than once, or whether he ever ate a single one he has captured.

—C. F. Whitman.

RUMFORD CENTER

The following officers were installed at Rumford Center Grange, Jan. 7, by Jerry Martin, assisted by Henry French and Miss Isabelle French.
Master—Dwight Elliott.
Orator—Joe W. Elliott.
Lecturer—Winifred Farnum.
Steward—Fred Sweetser.
Treasurer—Norman French.
Chaplain—Lucy French.
Secretary—Annie Colby Elliott.
President—Dale Ellis.
Gate Keeper—Donald Thurston.
Counselor—Elliott.
Pomona—Annie M. Elliott.
Flora—Eva Sweetser.
Lily—Lillian Sweetser—Gertrude Sweetser.

The regular grange dinner was served to about seventy, the committee being Mr. and Mrs. Wilder Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. Henry French and Mrs. Annie Pénley. A splendid musical program with several readings followed the installation. At the next meeting which will be Jan. 21, the men will get the dinner with Jerry Martin, chairman.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard E. Wyman, born December 31, has been very ill with pneumonia and under the care of a special nurse in the Community Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Frost entertained the "Know Nothing" bridge club at their home, Wednesday evening, recently.

BETHEL—GROVER HILL

The continued warm weather has nearly ruined the sledding.

Mrs. Rosa Tyler Swan who has employment at Bethel was the Sunday afternoon guest, January 8, of friends in this place. Her little daughter, Joyce, is staying with her aunt Mrs. C. L. Whitman.

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BOLSTERS MILLS

The Grange had their installation of officers Saturday, January 7th, with an all day session. There were two Granges invited but owing to the travelling there were not many from away there. Charles Martin installed in a very pleasing manner assisted by Joseph Caswell and Ethel Ingersoll with Ethel Skillings at the piano.

At the business part of the meeting the grange voted to send the lecturer to Augusta, January 26-27, to the Lecturers' conference. After a bountiful dinner in the dining hall the following program was enjoyed:

Opening Song Choir
Reading Wynne Lord
Reading Rebecca Sheehy
Piano duet Ethel Ingersoll and Ethel Skillings
Music Choir
Speech Mrs. Lord and Wilmet Lord
Music Mrs. Lord and Wilmet Lord
Speech Ethel Ingersoll
Music Reading with encore Choir
"Glad to Hear Him's Gold" Choir

Very interesting remarks were made by many of the men on farming in general, sweet corn and cows. The discussions were very interesting and greatly enjoyed.

Little Arlene Butters of Norway is making her grandparents a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Winslow are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, John Green, born Monday Mr. and Mrs. William Haskell a short visit.

Mrs. Zelene Handcock and daughter, Mildred have returned to Fryeburg after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoge and Miss C. S. Cook have been having the prevailing epidemic requiring a visit from the doctor.

Mrs. Elizabeth Edwards is spending several weeks in Boston with relatives. Mr. Edwards is in Portland on the jury.

Alma Skillings has returned to Portland after spending the holidays at her home.

Alfred Chute of Massachusetts has made his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Chute, a few days visit. We are very glad to hear Mrs. Albert Chute is much better.

E. L. Hicks has his ice all cut and packed. Fred Weston is cutting his with the help of Dale Ellis.

Sunday callers, January 8, at Mr. and Mrs. George Skillings, were Mrs. Skillings and wife and Leona Skillings and Earle Tilly.

Mabel Jilison and Ethel Ingersoll are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pike of Waterville.

CASCO
Mrs. Stella Jordan had the misfortune to slip on an icy doorstep recently and hurt her foot badly but is gaining.

Miss Celia Compton was a recent caller at Frank Chute's.

High school has begun after a two week vacation.

Ice cutting has commenced on Parker Pond, several truckloads being hauled away nearly every day.

We are having such mild winter that we wonder what the Florida folks are getting.

If you have anything you don't want, come and see if I have something you do. I'll swap 'em.

J. H. STONE,
HARRISON, ME.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Frost entertained the "Know Nothing" bridge club at their home, Wednesday evening, recently.

BETHEL—GROVER HILL

The continued warm weather has nearly ruined the sledding.

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SUMNER

Grover May has an abscess upon his neck and the attending physician advised his being carried to the Lewiston hospital and his father went there with him, Friday the 6th. Mrs. Emerson Bartlett carried him to the train at East Sumner.

P. V. Redding went to Rumford, Saturday, January 7, with his truck, Robert Millett and son, Edward, went with him.

Jerry Bartlett is working for Mr. Bosse with his white oxen, yarding pulp on the mountain that being all the team working there all last week on account of much needed snow on the low lands.

Hartwell Oldham from Peru was through here Sunday, January 8, with a horse and wagon and found no trouble getting around anywhere, and everyone travels by auto so far January 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bosse, and little son Frank spent Sunday evening, January 8th, at Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Bartlett's where the party listened to several choice records, followed by excellent piano music by Mr. Bosse.

Sunday, the 8th, Dr. Atwood was called to the Urquhart camp to attend their daughter, Edith.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Heath of West Sumner were at Mrs. Heath's parents Mr. and Mrs. William Urquhart's, Sunday, the 8th.

WEST SUMNER
Frank McAlister of Livermore was the guest of his sister, Mrs. James Boyle for several days.

Louise Bruce has gone to stay with Mrs. Charlie Starbird for a while.

David Adams is staying with her father for a while.

Aila Vitteli, the little Finn, has gone to the Central Maine General Hospital for appendicitis.

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Old Bill Says

Appointments, Huh!

My wife and I were out of town one day last fall on business and we saw an optician that had done work for us before and I says to her, "Now will be a good time to have our eyes fitted," so I went across the street and asked him if he could fix us up for glasses and he looked at me and said, "Have you an appointment?" I says, "No and I am not going to have any either. I am here today and if you want what money I have in my pocket and what I can scrape together for the next year, go ahead and put blinders on us, otherwise I will be going home."

"Well," he said, "Call in about half an hour." I said, "Nothing doing; it is late in the day or never." "All right," he said, "Come on." We went and there was not a soul called on him for the afternoon but us; but he wanted us to come 3 or 4 times for an appointment.

One of my neighbor's boys was taken with a toothache. He got up in the wee small hours and went to the dentist and Mr. Dentist wouldn't do a thing because he didn't have an appointment. The boy suffered for two or three days before Mr. Dentist could put his feet off the office table.

A friend of mine was taken sick in the night and the next morning took the stage for the doctor's and the doctor said, "I can't do a thing for you, you should have had an appointment." Well my friend said, "How in— did I know I was going to be sick?"

Now that is the way today, if you are going to break a leg be sure first and make an appointment with Mr. Doctor.

Now, when Almon Emerson was gored by the bull, I could have put him in cold storage and made an appointment with the doctor and the butcher to come and kill the bull and the undertaker to come and fix him but it seemed to him it would be better for Mr. Man to be ready to pull his feet down off his office desk and serve the public as his shingle says and cut out some of this ungolly style of appointments.—Old Bill.

BRYANT POND

Planning Meeting for the Year's Work—Schools Close for a Week.

The women of the Farm Bureau held their planning meeting at Grange Hall, Thursday, Jan. 12, with a good attendance. In the morning they had a short program, then pictures were shown by Miss Straden on Farm Bureau work. A baked bean dinner was served at noon. At 1:30, meeting was called to order, the project leaders gave their reports. The following officers were elected:

Chairman—Mrs. Edith Jackson.
Secretary—Mrs. Florence Cushman.
Clothing Project Leader—Mrs. May Bolster.
Food Project Leader—Mrs. Louise Willett.
Millinery Project Leader—Mrs. Cora Perham.

Household Management P. L.—Mrs. Edith Abbott.

Christmas Suggestions P. L.—Mrs. Elsie Began.

Club Leaders—Senior Sewing, Mrs. Bessie Andrews; Junior Sewing Club, Mrs. Sadie Lakeway; Cooking and Housekeeping, Mrs. Marjorie Kimball.

The program as planned:

Feb. 9—Misses cooking.

Mar. 15—Millinery and Aprons.

Apr. 10—Chair seating.

Apr. 1—Clothing construction patterns.

June 1—Phyllophering.

Jul. 6—Clothing construction dressmaking.

Jul. 13—Dress finishing.

Aug. 7—Rinsing furniture.

Aug. 10—Pine.

Sept. 3—Lamp shades.

Oct. 1—White coats.

Nov. 4—Christmas suggestions.

Dec. 6—Shopping and Christmas tree.

Miss Edith Willett was at home over the week end from her school at West Poland.

O. P. Brown has been having an ill turn but is better at this writing.

Mrs. Robert Cushman is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Spiller, at Mechanic Falls, this week.

Mrs. Clifford Taylor has finished work for Mrs. Fred Wheeler at South Paris and returned home Saturday. They have begun keeping house in the downstairs room in Mrs. Charles Dunham's house.

Mrs. Lily McAllister of Andover will come here soon and live in the upstairs room in Mrs. Dunham's house. She lived here in the same room but moved to Auburn last spring.

Miss Ruth Andrews has gone to South Paris to work for Mrs. Fred Wheeler.

Miss Helen Doughty of Norway is visiting in town and at Milton.

Mrs. Charles Dunham has had electric lights put in her house.

Mrs. Florence Swift is gaining.

Miss Lottie Bryant is on the gain once more.

Mrs. Mark Allen went to West Paris, Monday, to see Mr. Allen's mother, Mrs. Jennie Andrews, who is sick.

The Grange installation was postponed last Saturday on account of scarlet fever.

The Woodstock schools are closed this week, on account of scarlet fever. There are several families under quarantine.

George Abbott, George Cushman, Ernest Smith, Frank Coffin, Alphonzo Brown and Fred Smith.

Mrs. Ernest Smith is very sick from an operation.

Ernest Smith has tonsillitis and the children have scarlet fever.

The senior class of Woodstock High School went to West Bethel with their drama, Saturday night.

SOUTH RUMFORD

Grange Officers Installed—Round Table Entertained.

The following officers were installed at the grange meeting at Rumford Center, Saturday, Jan. 7, by past master, J. H. Martin, in his usual impressive manner:

Master—Dwight K. Elliott.

Overseer—Lee W. Elliott.

Steward—Fred Sweetser.

Assistant Steward—Norman French.

Gate Keeper—Donald Thurston.

Treasurer—Alvin Elliott.

Secretary—Mrs. Annie Gaby Elliott.

Chaplain—Mrs. Lucy French.

Flora—Mrs. Alice Elliott.

Pomona—Mrs. Annie Elliott.

Ceres—Mrs. Eva Sweetser.

Only Assistant Steward—Gertrude Sweetser.

Lecturer—Mrs. Winifred Paxman.

The usual grange dinner was served at noon by Mr. and Mrs. Wilder Kimball.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry French and Mrs. Annie Penley. A splendid musical program and several readings followed the installation. At the next meeting, which will be January 21, the men will furnish dinner.

Mrs. Willard E. Wyman and little son, Dale Alfred, came home from the hospital Wednesday, Jan. 11. Mrs. Warren Bellows is helping Mrs. Wyman for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hall made a short business trip to Boston last week, going with their auto. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Elliott of Rumford Center kept house for them while they were away.

Mrs. Ida Morse of Virginia entertained the Round Table Club of South Rumford at her home on Prospect Ave. Wednesday afternoon of last week. Two tables of bridge were enjoyed, followed by a luncheon.

Mrs. Walter Libby of Gorham, N. H., recently visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Channing Frost. Her niece, Virginia Frost, accompanied her home and will remain in Gorham until Easter.

Mrs. Asa West, who has been in poor health for several months, is doing her housework alone and is able to go to short auto rides.

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BATES—WEST PARIS

Public Library Items—Program for Parent Teacher Meeting.

There were nineteen members from West Paris Grange, No. 293, who attended South Paris Grange, Saturday, January 7th. They included the officers for the ensuing year, who were installed by Dep. Pike of Waterford in a double installation service with the officers of South Paris. The work was beautifully done and the day was greatly enjoyed. The entertainment and good will shown was most appreciated.

A 9 1/4 pound baby, name, Randall Leroy, was born Tuesday morning, January 10, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Buck for which they are very pleased. Mrs. Benson is taking care of them.

The David Binney Putnam book series, three in number: "David goes Voyaging," "David goes to Greenland," "David goes to Baffin Bay," has been received for the Public Library, a gift from Mr. and Mrs. Vernal Bates in memory of their mother, Ella M. Bates; also two more of the "Five Little Peppers" series. Some new memorial plate markers have been purchased which are very pretty. On them is her picture and underneath is printed, "This book given through the Ella M. Bates Library Endowment." Another new book has been purchased, entitled "We" by Capt. Charles A. Lindbergh that will be put into the Library next week.

The Librarian, Ruth Tucker has been very sick but is better now and hopes to be back on her job soon. Mrs. Abbie Abbott, Mrs. Lindell Farr and others have been assisting during her illness.

The Parent Teacher Program held Monday at the School House.

Solo, "Waiting for You"..... Sylvia Morgan.

Theme, Why Study English?..... Richardson.

Good English Program..... P. H. S.

The English Department of W. P. H. S. Marched in singing to the tune of "Oswald Christian Soldiers."

The English Program was begun by the giving of slogans, such as:

If you fight, you have fought;

If you think, you have thought;

Think it now! Good English.

Under the direction of the cheer leader, Ralph Corliss, Roland Curtis took the part of the hobo and Leroy Iverson was Mr. Good English's Freshman boys represented ten very bad errors of speech. As each spoke, he exhibited a card on which was printed his error. Freshman girls were the spirits of good English words slain by high school pupils. Most solemn was the warning they gave.

The Sophomores, with the aid of a judge, and jury, members from the Junior and Senior classes, conducted a mock trial in which the defendant was Bad English. Bad English was found guilty and sentenced to banishment from West Paris High School forever.

Judge..... Eugene Penley.

Lawyer for Defendant..... Sylvia Morgan.

Lawyer for Plaintiff..... Alvin McKean.

Balliff..... Geraldine Williams.

Witness..... Mary Patch.

Witness..... Christine Herick.

Witness..... Priscilla Curtis.

Witness..... Dorothy Buck.

Witness..... John Haste.

Witness..... Rowena Verge.

Witness..... Barbara Richardson.

Witness..... Helen Stevens.

Witness..... Alpha Komulainen.

Lower Base read the Constitution of Good English Club.

Singing of good English songs composed by the pupils and English Teacher closed the program.

Good English week was observed at the high school during which the pupils made posters showing the value of good English words slain by high school pupils. Most solemn was the warning they gave.

An exhibition of the posters and of other work of the English department was shown after the program. Miss Geraldine Williams won the most votes for the best poster; and Leone Bano was found to have the largest vocabulary.

The above program was excellent and showed great painstaking and planning by the teacher, Miss Snow.

The poster making alone exhibited a great variety of art and thought.

The program for the next P. T. A. meeting will be on geometry and will demonstrate the worth of that disliked study in architecture, plans, art and even nature drawings.

Original songs from West Paris High School English Department used in above program.

Tune: Auld Lang Syne.

Should our good English be forgot

And slang words take its place?

Our language debate!

CHORUS: For Good English, my friends, for Good English, We'll strive our best to keep our speech.

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NORTH PARIS

Ice Harvested—McDonald Family Moved to Sumner—Primary School Notes.

Nearly all the farmers in this vicinity have their ice harvested.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Cole of West Paris were Sunday callers at her mother's, Mrs. S. I. Wheeler's.

Archie McDonald has moved his family to Sumner, where he has work in the woods.

James Gibbs was at home from his work several days last week on account of sickness.

Mrs. Wilma Pierce and children spent Thursday with Mrs. Milton Pierce at West Paris.

Madlyn Gibbs is staying at West Paris this winter with Mrs. Mabel Mann.

Miss Freda Golly spent the week end at her home in South Paris.

North Paris Primary school pupils not absent during week ending Jan. 13: Grade 4, Wilbur Chamberlain, Ralph Curtis; Grade 3, Corry Bonney; Grade 2, Russell Curtis; Grade 1, Myron Pierce, Elsie Matta, Virginia Cole, Ina McKean, Annie McKean, Beatrice Bonney; primary, Morton Bonney. One hundred per cent in spelling for week ending Jan. 13: Myron Pierce, Virginia Cole, Ina McKean, Annie McKean, Elsie Matta; Grade 2, Russell Curtis; Grade 4, Wilbur Chamberlain.

NORTH PARIS—TUELL TOWN

Mrs. Lowe Visiting in Errol—Telephone Lines Repaired—Bath Room Put in at Alpheus Andrews'.

Mrs. Mordant L. Rowe went to Errol, N. H., Friday, to visit her sister, Mrs. Robert Haldane.

Miss Alice Adams, the helping teacher, visited the Tuell school, Monday. Mrs. James Spudley of Stearns Hill brought her and spent the day with Mrs. Levi Hazelton.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Radcliff of West Paris visited at Levi Hazelton's, Sunday.

Mrs. John Jordan and son, Jack, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Ellwell, Wednesday. Mr. Jordan worked on the telephone lines at West Paris.

Alpheus Andrews has had a bath room installed.

Leon Bradford has had his chimney re-built. Will Brown did the work.

About six inches of snow fell Monday night.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Edwin Perham Has Blood Poisoning—Medias Prevailed—Willing Workers Meeting Postponed.

Edwin Perham is having a hard time with blood poisoning in his hand.

P. E. Davis and son are hauling pulp to West Paris.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Harlow is very sick. Mrs. Harlow and two children have been having the measles.

Mrs. Emma Perham has been helping in the family of Kenneth Benson.

Chester Beckler remains very low.

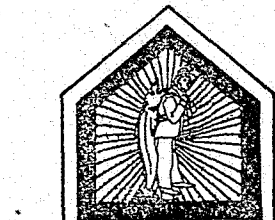
Claribel Swift of Norway was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Appleby.

Emil Heikinen is getting his ice in this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Andrews called on Mrs. Kate Hammond at Paris Hill, Sunday.

Lenwood Andrews is sick with a stomach trouble.

H. M. Andrews and Ellis Davis took a trip to Fryburg, Friday.



LESSON No. 19

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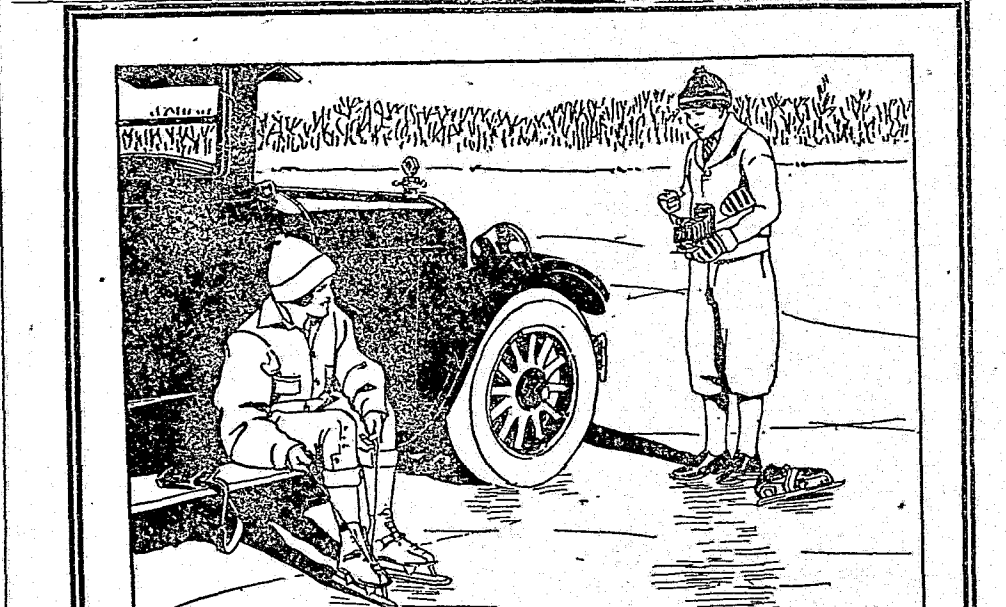
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HEBRON—BEARCE NEIGHBORHOOD

Fox Hunting—Many Attend Relief Corps Meeting—Officers Installed—Plans for New Barn.

Vivian Bearce, Leon Whitman and others were out fox hunting in this vicinity, Friday. Mr. Bearce shot a fox. Those attending the pictures at Hebron Academy, Saturday night, from this vicinity had considerable difficulty in getting up Merrill Hill on the return home. The light snow falling made the icy road very slippery.

Many from this vicinity attended the Z. L. Packard Relief Corps meeting at Hebron, Friday. The following officers were installed by Agnes Bearce, Past President:

President—Belle Davenport.
Senior Vice—Lillian May.
Treasurer—Ida Glover.
Chaplain—Genevieve Dresser.
Conductor—Lillian Hutchinson.
Gate Keeper—Alice Everett.
Secretary—Agnes Bearce.
Musicians—Cona Bearce.
Press Correspondent—Ida Pratt.
Color Bearers—Alice George, Lillian Merrill, Nellie Hibbs, Cassie Hollis.
The Junior Vice President, Lillian Sturtevant, and Patricia, Instructor, Helen Pratt, were unable to be present and will be installed later. Lillian Sturtevant was elected 1st delegate and Alice Everett, 2nd delegate. Lillian Merrill, 1st alternate and Nellie Hibbs, 2nd alternate, as at a previous meeting. There was a good attendance. A buffet lunch was served. Alice Everett received the mystery box. H. W. Bearce is saving at his mill. Ira Crocker is at work on the mill.

It is reported H. W. Merrill is getting out lumber to build a barn in the spring to replace the one struck by lightning last summer.

Mrs. E. A. Bearce, who has been sick with the prevailing cold, is recovered. Julia Bearce was at home over the week end.

Rachel Bearce returned to Gould Academy, Sunday night, January 14. Frank Sturtevant is hauling logs for Leon Whitman to the Bearce Mill. Julia Bearce was at home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sturtevant and son, Gilbert and Miss Smith the teacher here, attended the birthday party given by Harry Records at his home at West Minot, Monday night, January 9.

Miss Abby Smith, the teacher at the Nelson school, is boarding with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sturtevant.

Mrs. Emma Bearce is confined to the house with a bad cold. A doctor was called, and she is better.

A very pleasant social meeting of the Ladies' Circle was held with Mrs. E. B. Hutchinson on Wednesday, Jan. 4. Light refreshments were served by the hostess.

One rather remarkable feature at the present time was that of the nineteen ladies present, not one had bobbed hair.

Mrs. Frank Morse of Revere, Mass., recently spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hutchinson.

Miss Edna Kimball is ill.

Farmers need snow in the woods and to the ice ponds.

HEBRON

Mrs. Eric Berg and little daughter are spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Edith Cushman.

J. Carlton Conant, who has been working at Portland, is stopping with his father, Geo. I. Conant.

Several from here attended the Grange meeting at East Hebron, Saturday.

Mrs. P. H. Marshall recently visited her son and family in Massachusetts.

SUMNER—LABRADOR BOND
Farwell Party—Thermometer Liable to Lane Back.

The Grangers and people on the mail route gave Elroy Russell a birthday and farwell party at East Sumner Grange Hall, Monday night, Jan. 16. He has been the mail carrier for many years and all will regret that we are not to have Elroy for "mail man".

The twenty years or more that he has been our "mail man", he has always, at all times, regardless of weather or traveling, been very obliging and accommodating and we shall surely miss him. He was sixty-seven years young and this, we understand, exceeds the limit for mail carrier by a couple of years, therefore we ought to be willing and unselfish enough to give him up gladly. I suppose, as it must have been very disagreeable under all weather conditions to start out on such long routes.

There is great danger of the thermometer getting a lame back from jumping around so, for very mild weather to some not so mild, and the snow storm of about three inches, which fell Saturday night, makes it also look a little more wintry.

Walter Pollard went to Lewiston, recently, to consult a doctor.

Wesley Pollard is harvesting his ice. Word has been received that one of the operations that was necessary to be performed on Israel Gammon, took place on Friday, the 13th, at the Maine General Hospital in Portland, where he had been under treatment for several days. It is expected another is soon to follow.

GREENWOOD—ROWE HILL
Mrs. Ring Called to Shelburne—Crusader Club Met—Schools Closed by Storm and Wind Blow.

Mrs. Colby Ring was called to Shelburne, Jan. 10, by the illness of her aunt, Mrs. Ida McKee; she returned home Sunday. Mrs. Colby Ring was in Shelburne this week, Tuesday.

Wilmer Bryant has finished hauling pulp for Mont Brooks.

The roads were drifted so the mail carrier, Mr. Andrews, did not get through Tuesday.

The Crusader Club met at Colby Ring's, Tuesday evening, Jan. 10. After the meeting they, with other young people of the neighborhood, enjoyed skating on Indian Pond.

Callers at Newton Bryant's Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dunham and Leland.

School did not keep Tuesday an account of the storm and the wind blow.

We are very sorry to learn that Mrs. Martha Brooks Noyes has been obliged to take her baby to Portland for treatment under a specialist.

Mont and Carl Brooks were at their sister's, Mrs. Henry Noyes', at Greenwood, Sunday.

Carl Brooks is home from high school this week. The school is closed on account of scarlet fever.

If a complete water-supply system for the farm home is not within reach it is possible to lighten the housewife's burden to a very material degree by installing an elevated barrel system at small expense. This barrel is placed on a shelf or platform somewhat above the level of the kitchen sink. The water is supplied to the barrel by a pipe from the force pump at the well. The water from the barrel flows into the kitchen by gravity. If a complete water supply system cannot be installed at once, rural engineers recommend the "stop-rural" or one-unit-at-a-time method of installation, in which one unit is purchased one year and added to the next.

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DENMARK

Mrs. Elwood Pendexter returned from Boston, giving Surprise Party—Kitchen Improvement to be Discussed—Rally Day, Jan. 29.

Mrs. Elwood Pendexter returned Monday from Boston, where she has spent three months with her sister. The ladies gave her a surprise birthday party that evening.

William Wood, Jr., the student pastor of last summer, came Tuesday for a few days' visit. He stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Ingree.

Tuesday night the Ladies' Aid served a baked bean, salad, and pastry supper. Following were games and dancing. They made about \$10.00.

Wednesday evening, Hazel Ingalls invited in a few of the young people for singing, games, and a general good time, honoring Mr. Wood.

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KEZAR FALLS

Allen M. Chellis in Boston—Twenty-one Club Entertained—David Stearns Given Surprise Party.

Allen M. Chellis of Portland was home for the week end and started Monday morning for Boston.

Twenty-one Club entertained on Wednesday at the office there for a few weeks.

The Ladies' Circle was entertained by Mrs. Benj. Bradshaw, Tuesday of last week, twenty-five members were present.

The time flew and between business, sewing and sociability, sweetened with an abundance of confectionery, the time for leaving arrived all too soon.

Mrs. G. C. Conant served supper to the L. M. R. C. last Monday evening. The tables were prettily decorated in shades of yellow. Stunts and brain racking contests of many descriptions were much enjoyed.

Mrs. Nettie Walker of Brownfield has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Emma Durost, the past week.

Miss Emma Fox of Conway was the week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Fox.

Ruth E. Garner was hostess to the Twenty-one Club, Wednesday evening. Sewing, playing games, etc., was the order of the evening. Refreshments of sandwiches, ice cream and cake were served by the hostess.

The surprise party given David Stearns on the evening of January 10, was an event, as well as an auspicious occasion; marking the seventeenth anniversary of his birth and honored by a goodly company of his children, his children's children, and his children's children's children.

Coming from Germany, Germany, a boy of sixteen, he has lived in the good old State of Maine, and hale and hearty for his years, is an exponent of what her climate and opportunity can do in a man's behalf.

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NORTH BUCKFIELD

Visitors From Rumford—Mrs. R. J. Warren Entertained Friends.

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HARRISON

Lakeside Grange Officers Installed—Harney from Boston at Frank Whitney's—Meeting of Parent-Teacher Ass'n.—Sidney P. Chase of Rowley Dead—Jolly Time by Lafolat Club.

At the regular meeting of Lakeside Grange, Saturday evening, the following officers were installed by Fred Emery, assisted by Mrs. Emery and Mrs. Chadbourne, all of Bridgton:

Overseer—Arthur P. Smith.
Lecturer—Mildred Haley.
Assistant Steward—Mrs. Carlotta Harmon.
Chaplain—Mrs. Lottie Briggs.
Treasurer—James P. Smith.
Sec.—Mrs. Gertrude Smith.
Pomona—Mrs. V. Smith.
Flora—Miss Helen A. Smith.
Gaiety—Mrs. L. A. Smith.
L. A. S.—Mrs. Araminta Lapham.
Finian—Mrs. Araminta Lapham.

Trustees—Mrs. A. Edgcomb, Arthur Smith, Dr. James P. Blake.

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Doris Hatch spent Wednesday with Mrs. Leonard at Oxford Station.

Ralph Gibson was home from Hebron Academy for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hall and family attended the school league at Welchville school house, Friday evening, Jan. 19th.

Mrs. Bertha Mains spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Noyes.

The Busy Bee sewing club held their meeting at their local leader's home, Wednesday of last week, and it was a night to remember.

After visiting each girl that didn't know how to run a machine was taught how. Every club member was present but one. Refreshments were served and sliding was enjoyed. Miss Hazel Vest was at our club meeting Saturday afternoon.

Miss Lucy Noyes had the misfortune of getting her eye open while the children were shoveling snow. One child went to throw a shovel of snow and hit her right beside the eye this makes three times little Miss Noyes has had her eye open and she isn't only six years old.

There will be a Grange meeting Friday night. It is anticipated that officers, A. supper will be served and we look for a big crowd. All strangers turn out and go so we won't be disappointed.

THE LOCAL NEWSPAPER

In progressive country newspapers you see a clean looking, readable, balanced front page. Are there any blatant headlines? No. Are there any stories detailing the gruesome aspects of murders, divorces, or crime? No. But it gives to its readers all the news they require for an understanding of local events, and all the service information necessary to bring newspaper and reader closer together. It has been found that the tendency among country newspapers is to whip news into short, pointed statements of fact to contribute to easy and quick reading; which is one good reason why people in the small towns and on the farms read their local newspapers so thoroughly.

NORTH LOVELL

Four Month Old Pig Weighed 125 Lbs.—Party—Day Fishing on Bradley Pond—Filling Ice Houses.

Amos McKee killed a four months old pig last week that weighed 125 pounds. There was a good sized crowd, Friday night, at the Circle and the pictures were very good indeed and greatly enjoyed by those present.

Quite a snow storm, Monday night, and a very hard wind made lots of drifts; the roller will probably be out for the first time this winter.

A party went to Bradley Pond, fishing through the ice, Saturday. They had a fire and cooked some fish, ate their lunch with appetites sharpened by the exercise and fresh air, fished till nearly sunset and had quite a good catch. They all enjoyed the day and hope to go again later.

Amos McKee and Theodore McAllister have filled their ice houses and Willis McAllister and a crew of men are filling ice houses in his usual good health. He usually fills his ice house in the winter.

The many friends of Mrs. Ida McAllister, a former resident of North Lovell, are sorry to hear she is critically ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Enid Melrose, at West Stockholm.

H. R. Andrews of Bridgton is staying with his daughter, Mrs. George Mills, a few days and looking after a lumbering job.

Clint Andrews went to Conway and Bridgton, Saturday and returned Sunday. Everett and Iva McAllister attended the I. O. O. F. installation at North Lovell, Saturday evening.

Mrs. George Mills' children are staying with Mrs. Susie Wilson a few days at Center Lovell.

Mrs. H. B. McKee was in Norway several days last week, called there by the illness of her mother, who is now recovered and is attending school this winter.

Mrs. George Kimball of Bridgton, Mrs. Everett Chapman and Mrs. Leonard Pitts spent Sunday at Greenwood Mountain where they visited Leonard Pitts and Mrs. Kimball, who are at the Maine Sanatorium there. They found both patients improving rapidly.

Mrs. John Hubbard is at Steep Falls, called there by the illness and death of her sister, Meda Nason.

OXFORD SCHOOL SAVINGS

Deposited Jan. 11, 1927.

Grades	To date
Grades 8 and 4	\$ 5.59
Grades 7 and 5	\$145.35
Grades 6 and 3	98.58
Grades 5 and 2	5.88
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High School	4.00
Primary	102.36
Welchville	2.90
Grand total	252.68

NO. WATERFORD—ALBANY LINE
Parties Cutting Birch—Others Getting In Their Ice, While Others Log—Roy Lord Working in Bryant Pond.

Kathleen Lord has been spending a few days with Mrs. Maud Vassier and family at Bethel. Her brother, Lee Lord, went after her, Sunday.

E. K. Shedd has hauled 400 cakes of ice for S. L. Lebroke. Lee Lord saved it. Frank Hatch is cutting birch for J. A. Harding. Elmo McGray is helping him yard it.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Allen went to see their daughter, Mrs. Ernest Groves, Sunday, Saturday. Mr. Lebroke is able to do his chores and help pack his ice. We are glad he is able to use his hand quite a little.

Wesley Jones is hauling logs for Elmer Henley. Mr. Henley is getting in a large amount of timber; has a large crew of men and teams at work for him.

Leon Kimball and son, Ivan, are to cut some pine for E. K. Shedd. They have finished cutting ice for E. K. Shedd. M. M. Sawin, Ernest Brown, James Kimball and Walter Canvill. They are now cutting their own.

Charles Morey gave a horse to the McGray Bros., last week.

There was an all day Council meeting held at the church, Thursday, followed by the Circle supper and pictures of Joseph Lincoln's "Rugged Warriors."

There will be a young people's social at the church, Thursday evening. Committee in charge are Inez Farrington, Stanwood Nelson and Crystal Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. Errol Barker and son, Milton, visited at John Barker's, Sunday. Norman Farrington celebrated his third birthday with a party at the home of his aunt, Violet Doughty, Saturday, Jan. 14. Refreshments of cake, ice cream, candy and pop corn were served. Those present were John and Milton Barker, Helen Earl Littlefield and Errol Curtis.

The drama, "Two Days to Marry," will be presented at the K. of P. Hall, Friday evening.

Albert Skinner is staying at James Merrill's.

Leonard Doughty spent the week end at his home here from his work in Norway.

Stanwood Nelson is staying at South Waterford, while his arm, which he burned badly, is healing.

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